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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

ZAFIROGLU CASE NO.: RD8120USNA

SERIAL NO.: 09/727,207 GROUP ART UNIT: 1733

FILED: 11/30/2000 EXAMINER: GOFF II, JOHN L.

FOR: PROCESS FOR BONDING STITCHED CARPET

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 11, 2002, please amend the captioned application as set forth herein.

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